

SMIA Meeting Minutes – Sept 10, 2022

Opening: Bill L. opened with the Serenity Prayer and Responsibility Statement.

Board Members present: Bill L. - Chair, Katherine – Vice Chair, Rebecca B. – Treasurer, Rob A. – Parliamentarian and Tressie F. Secretary

Groups & Committees Represented: Buddy F. – Basic Text, Jamie R. – North Beach, Ray B. - Solomons, Jeremy B. – Harmony, Janine G. – End of the World, Todd M. – St. Charles Step, Craig W. – Waldorf, Tom F.

SMIA Chair Report: Bill L. – nothing to report.

Vice-Chair Report: Katherine L. – IGLC was cancelled this month. Next one scheduled October 3rd.

Secretary Report: Read by Tressie F. – August 2022 minutes were accepted as read with corrections.

Treasurer Report: Rebecca B. – 7/24 – 8/24 report provided. Net assets \$15397.02 with \$1021.73 in monthly contributions. There was credit card fraud against card used for bookstall purchases, which is being addressed. The Treasurer's Report is available on-line on the SMIA website @ <https://somidintergroup.org/finance.html>

Committee Reports

Archives: Position is open, and we need a volunteer. Bill will set up digital library.

Bookstall: Buddy - purchased Big Books and pamphlets for \$112.50. There were 7 Bookstall orders, totaling \$74.15. Also, \$75 was spent out of C&T budget Buddy asked how to indicate he was ordering for PI/CPC and Corrections & Treatment for each district. Bill recommended letting the Treasurer know the purchase amount for each specific district and category, therefore reflecting accurately in the Treasurer's Report.

Lifeline: Keith – not available. Lifeline was prepared.

Phone Report: Melissa – not available.

Picnic: No SMIA Picnic; however, District 36 Barbecue is September 18th at noon.

Serenity Breakfast: No update for 2023.

Gratitude Dinner: Buddy – have 5 cooks lined up to help with food. There are two speakers – Paul S. and Sherry B. Tickets printed and distributed – 50 for Calvert, 50 for Charles and 50 for St. Mary's.

Corrections and Treatment: Charles County – Zee - Meetings taken into RCA Monday through Saturday at 7:30 pm; and one at Jude House on Wednesday at 7:00 pm. Due to staffing shortages, there is only one meeting being taken in for men (Monday 6 to 7pm) and none for women. Calvert – Lorraine there are still technical issues taking meetings into Calvert. St. Mary's – meetings going into Anchor. Taylor is the POC.

PI/CPC: St. Mary's – literature is being distributed. Charles – Craig will check with to see if he can get an update. Calvert – no updated.

Where and When: Pat P. – not available. We may not need to print until January since we have plenty of Where & When's.

Website: Bill L. gave report.

5 Most Frequently visited pages

Home Page – 2669
Where and When Search - 327
Where and When Calendar -304
Privacy Declaration– 270
On-Line Meetings - 226

Referring Sites

Direct
Others
Search Engines – Google, DuckDuckGo, Yahoo

The SMIA On-Line Bookstall had 438 new visitors since the August 2022 meeting. 7 new orders were submitted; 6 were completed and 1 was on hold

Site Updates and Changes

No significant changes this month

Meeting Change Information

Sisters In Recovery permanently closed. The Last Call Group re-opened

Meeting Status

Currently there are 131 meetings in our service area; 120 meetings are in-person, 8 meetings are hybrid, 7 meetings are on-line only, and 4 meetings are reported as suspended. Of those 4, 1 has an on-line presence.

Document Posts and Updates

Mobile App 2022 v3.2.9 released – 9/1/22
Lifeline posted – 9/1/22
Finance Page updated – 8/31/22
SMIA Minutes posted – 8/19/22
Where and When PDF updated – 8/15/22

Old Business – none.

New Business – none.

For the Good of the Order: Buddy celebrating 10 on September 15th. District 36 picnic September 18th starting at 12:00 until noon.

Meeting adjourned with the Lord's Prayer